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From: Murray, Bill
Sent: Wed 7/23/2014 4:13:13 PM
Subject: RE: Upper Animas

Martin called back to ask if you still were planning on him being in Silverton on 8/25-26. I asked him to check in with Shaun to see if he still is interested in traveling to Silverton this year. He thinks Shaun's calendar is already getting pretty full for Aug/Sept, but he will check with him on Monday. I told Martin that the team feels like it would be better for Shaun to plan to go to Silverton in the spring/summer. Let's talk about all these issues on Monday.

Bill

From: Murray, Bill
Sent: Wednesday, July 23, 2014 9:36 AM
To: Steve Wharton; Paula Schmittiel
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Steve/Paula,

Martin just called me to talk about Upper Animas. He observed that Rob Runkel from USGS is planning to present his work to ARSG in September. Martin very much wants Rob to do his presentation in August, ahead of our letter to Sunnyside inviting them to explore the broader watershed issues which he would like to go out in September. Martin wants us to set up a mtg w BLM and CDPHE to discuss our strategy and to get them on board with the letter to Sunnyside. He would like the letter to be cosigned by EPA, BLM and CDPHE. I've reviewed the ARSG timeline which appears to me to have been ghostwritten by Sunnyside. Can the three of us please get together on Monday to discuss where we are at and Martin's requests?

Thanks!

Bill